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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

For the Year Ending, Feb. 15, 1910.

Assets.

Cash in treasury	$2145 13
Town maps	751 84
Uncollected tax	36 34

Liabilities.

Unexpended appropriations in the treasury as follows:

Memorial day	11 73
State tax	6 00
Breaking roads	151 90
Safety vault	23 91
Iron bridge	2 00
Town history	1000 00
Joint fund, state aid for highways	5 84
Balance of money borrowed for Beech Hill road	54 03
Steel culvert	8 85
Miscellaneous	58 83
Town officers	86 94
General repairs, highways	33 85

Estimated Expenses the Coming Year.

State tax	2544 00
County tax	2200 00
Breaking roads	2500 00
Town library	200 00
Memorial day	70 00
Care of cemetery	50 00
Electric lights	1300 00
Town officers	700 00
Miscellaneous	400 00
Interest and principal on town notes	2600 00
Highways and bridges	2860 00

To Meet which the Town has (Estimated).

Savings bank tax	875 00
Sum recommended to be raised	12200 00

Summary of Inventory of the Town of Dublin, for 1909.

Polls	142	$ 14,200 00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings		791,505 00
Horses	205	17,195 00

Oxen	8	510 00
Cows	215	6,379 00
Other neat stock	42	822 00
Sheep	4	16 00
Hogs	12	126 00
Fowls		257 00
Carriages and automobiles		15,805 00
Stock in public funds		4,680 00
Stock in banks and other corporations in this state		10,107 00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit		70,029 00
Stock in trade		16,500 00
Mills and machinery		4,000 00
Boats and launches		150 00
		952,281 00
Amount of taxes levied for all purposes		16,474 55

Rate per cent. of taxation, state, county, town, school and highway, is $1.73 on $100 of valuation.

ALMON A. BALDWIN,
LEON A. FAIRBANKS,
ORISON H. MOORE,
Selectmen of Dublin.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1910.

RECEIPTS.

Money in the treasury at settlement, Feb. 15, 1909			1576 35
1909			
	From Miscellaneous Sources.		
March 3.	Received from N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., for use of basement of town house for storage	20 00	
March 10.	Fred A. Pierce, collector of taxes for 1908, interest to date	93	
May 10.	Town clerk, dog licenses	147 60	
Sept. 27.	" "	31 49	
Nov. 15.	Selectmen, culvert donation	38 40	
Dec. 4.	Solon A. Carter, state treasurer, Railroad tax	10 60	

Dec. 4.	Savings bank tax	879 73		
	Literary fund	40 30		
	Proportion school fund	145 84		
1910				
Feb. 14.	Town clerk, dog license to date	1 64		
	Selectmen, cash received for rent of town house, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	102 00		
	Selectmen, cash received of John H. Mason for rent of land for ice houses one year to Nov. 15, 1909	3 00		
	Wilfred M. Fiske, tax collector, interest on taxes	7 45		
	Selectmen, overdrawn order iron bridge acct.	2 00		
15	Selectmen, overdrawn order, breaking roads acct.	1 00		
	Selectmen, sale old stove	50		
			1432	48
	Received from selectmen, money borrowed:			
1910				
Jan. 29.	Selectmen, money borrowed to cancel notes of $1500.00 and $3525.00	4487 51		
	Joint highway fund:			
1909				
Sept. 21.	Rec'd of selectmen appropriation from state (in part)	256 09		
Oct. 14.	Of selectmen, appropriation from state (in part)	242 37		
			498	46
	Peddlers' licenses:			
Sept. 7.	Frank E. Washburn, No. 1	5 00		
Nov. 20.	D. Vanni, No. 2	5 00		
			10	00
	Town agents:			
1910				
Feb. 9.	Fred C. Gowing, town agent	88 57		
	Milton D. Mason, town agent	243 00		
			331	57
	Received from tax collector:			
	Rec'd of Fred A. Pierce, collector, tax in full for year 1908	38 40		

1909				
June 12.	Rec'd from Wilfred M. Fiske, collector, 1909	630 06		
July 19.		2624 55		
Sept. 6.		2011 24		
" 14.		138 79		
Oct. 1.		430 10		
" 18.		1468 33		
Nov. 13.		2611 80		
" 29.		3422 89		
Dec. 13.		2152 38		
1910				
Feb. 8.		675 28		
" 14.		272 79		
				16438 21
" 15.	Outstanding taxes year 1909	36 34		
	Sale of town maps:			
1910				
Feb. 15.	Town clerk, maps sold from Feb. 15, 1909 to Feb. 15, 1910	5 75		
	Received of selectmen:			
1909				
March 10.	Cash to create the Charles H. Heald Cemetery Lot fund	150 00		

DISBURSEMENTS.

	Paid for Miscellaneous purposes:		
	Amount raised and appropriated	400 00	
	Voted from Memorial Day account	12 10	
	From State Tax "	10 00	
	" Chemical Engine "	26 25	
	" Electric Light "	88 65	
	" Breaking Roads "	359 17	
			896 17
1910			
April 27.	Paid Almon A. Baldwin, 3 invoice and coll. books	2 15	
	Sec'y school board, Marlboro, tuition Herbert Porter 1 term, Hester Porter 2 terms, Ella Porter 3 terms	36 00	
May 3.	Transcript Printing Co., printing 325 town reports, 1909	50 00	

June 26.	Dublin Electric Co , labor and stock for town house, Aug. 28, 1908	2	35
	Dublin Elec. Co.,changing wires, placing new burners in town house	66	44
	G. W. Gleason, tools and supplies sold town of Dublin to June 1, 1909	8	00
July 24.	H. D. Allison, cloth for stage in town hall	1	04
	Jean P. Howes, repairs on clock to Apr. 22, 1909	17	60
	Trustees Conant high school, tuition of Leila Moore 3 terms, ending June 18, 1909	30	00
Sept. 8.	Transcript Printing Co., printing 300 copies invoice and taxes, year 1909	27	50
Nov. 15.	L. A. & C. E. Fairbanks, painting signs and snow rollers	23	55
	T. W. Sanders, labor and material on town house	102	83
	A. E. Gay, material and labor repairing town house	12	56
	C. F. Knight, supporting public watering tub from Aug. 1, '08 to Aug. 1, '09	3	00
30.	W. H. Spalter, invoice and tax book	12	00
Dec. 8.	A. J. Walbridge, treas. Peterboro school dist, tuition 8 scholars, winter and spring terms, 1909	160	00
1910			
Jan. 4.	C. F. Knight, painting iron bridge	1	40
Feb. 12.	Peterboro school district, tuition 2 scholars fall term, 2 scholars half fall term, 1 scholar ⅔ fall term	36	36
	Union school district, Keene, tuition two scholars, two terms	40	00
	School district, Marlboro, two scholars, 1½ terms	18	00
	School district, Antrim, tuition of Ruth Ashford for term ending Dec. 17, '09	10	00

Feb. 12.	Charles H. Hersey, retainer fee to March 15, 1910	6	00
14.	Milton D. Mason, town clerk, recording marriages, births and deaths to Dec. 1, 1909	5	75
	M. D. Mason, 14 ft. drain tile, ladder, receipt books, dog lic. book, blanks, stationery and postage for clerk and treasurer	15	40
	M. D. Mason, preparing vital statics, treasurer's report for printer, 1909	5	00
	Clesson E. Gowing, expense and care town clock, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	29	00
	Charles P. Fisher, supplies for town house, year ending Feb. 15, '10	30	63
	Clesson E. Gowing, supplies for tramp room	6	00
	Almon A. Baldwin, making out tax coll. book, preparing invoice and taxes for printer, and making record of invoice, and miscellaneous writing	17	50
	A. H. Childs, returning births and deaths to Jan. 1, 1910	2	00
	M. D. Mason, perfecting vital statistics	3	50
	H. A. Coolidge, returning two marriages		50
	A. A. Baldwin, individual expense of selectman, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	9	08
	J. C. Trefethen, stove and funnel for selectmen's room	13	40
	G. W. Gleason, rent of chemical fire engine room, two years ending Feb. 15, 1910	10	00
15.	James A. Porter, sharpening town tools	5	05
	Edwin L. Twitchell, express on stove		50

Feb. 15.	Transcript Printing Co., printing 1200 order blanks	3 50	
	B. Willard, fixtures for road machine, on acct. bill A. B. Black	13 45	
			837 34
	Unexpended appropriation		58 83
			896 17

ACCOUNT WITH DUBLIN ELECTRIC CO.

	Amount raised and appropriated for year ending Feb 15, 1910		1300 00
1909.			
Mar. 20.	Dublin Electric Co., lights to Mar. 15, 1909	269 90	
June 12.	Dublin Electric Co., lights to June 15, 1909	323 88	
Sept. 11.	Dublin Electric Co., lights to Sept. 15, 1909	269 90	
Dec. 7.	Dublin Electric Co., lights to Feb. 14, 1910.	323 87	
1910.			
Feb. 14.	Dublin Electric Co., appropriation in full	112 45	
			1300 00

TOWN SAFETY FIREPROOF VAULT ACCOUNT.

	Amount raised and appropriated	350 00	350 00
1909.			
April 14.	Paid Remington & Sherman for steel vault	165 00	
April 14.	Paid Dublin Stage Co., freight on vault from Boston to Dublin	10 56	
July 24.	Paid Vault Committee, labor and material on vault	20 53	
July 24.	Paid Edward S. Wait, contract of construction	130 00	
			326 09
	Unexpended appropriation		23 91

Town Hall Scenery Account.

Amount raised and appropriated			125 00
April 22. Paid Henry D. Allison, scenery appropriation in part		30 00	
May 22. Paid appropriation in full		95 00	
			125 00

Dublin Volunteer Fire Company Account.

Amount raised and appropriated			150 00
1909			
May 8. Paid John A. Gleason, Treasurer, appropriation in full			150 00

Memorial Day Account.

Amount raised and appropriated for Memorial day			70 00
May 31. Paid Memorial committee		58 27	
Unexpended balance		11 73	
			70 00

Abatement of Taxes.

1910.			
Feb. 14. Paid Wilfred M. Fiske, Collector, abatement of taxes, year 1909			19 41

New Iron Bridge Account.

Amount raised and appropriated			150 00
1909.			
June 26. Paid The United Construction Co., for bridge		105 00	
Nov. 15. Paid B. Willard, appropriation in part		24 75	
Dec. 18. Paid Frank C. Moore, appropriation in full		20 25	
			150 00
By overdrawn order on bridge			2 00
			148 00
Unexpended appropriation		2 00	
Amount raised and appropriated to pay county tax, 1909		2000 00	
1909.			
Sept. 15. Paid J. E. Wright, county treasurer, county tax		2200 09	
Appropriation overdrawn			200 09

Amount raised and appropriated to pay State tax, 1909		2550 00
Dec. 2. Paid Solon A. Carter, State treasurer, State tax	2544 00	
Unexpended balance in treasury	6 00	
		2550 00

Dublin Public Library Account.

1909.		
Amount raised and appropriated		200 00
Oct. 18. Paid Minnie E. Leffingwell, for committee	100 00	
Jan. 28. Minnie E. Leffingwell, for committee	100 00	
		200 00

Steel Culvert Account.

Amount raised and appropriated		60 00
1909.		
Nov. 15. Paid Benjamin Willard, appropriation in part	51 15	
Unexpended appropriation	8 85	
		60 00

Cemetery Account.

Amount raised and appropriated for care of cemetery	50 00
Nov. 15. Paid Clifford Gowing, appropriation in full	50 00

Account of General Repairs on Highways.

Amount to be raised and appropriated	$2750 00
Available for general repairs on highways and bridges for the year ending Feb. 15, 1910	1377 50
1909.	
May 25. Paid D. J. Hart, 1594 feet bridge plank	27 09
June 26. Paid L. F. Richardson, material and labor on highway in 1906	8 40
Patrick Ryan, labor on highway	3 50
Jack Luma	7 88
Samuel Parala	10 50

June 26	Charles H. Pickford	43 00
	George F. Bemis	147 20
	Augustus Beaulieu	48 00
	Harvey E. Wright	52 00
	Fred J. Sundstrom	12 00
	Jack Lounia	33 25
	Samuel Parala	28 00
	Sala Lana	15 75
	Frank Solomen	42 88
	David Johnson	10 50
	Herman Oya	5 25
	John Green	7 00
	Gust Hansen	7 00
	John Rinta	3 50
	Richard Blair	37 00
	Jack Wilyam	10 50
	John Johnson	35 00
	Wilear Mananita	33 25
	Milton Parker	12 00
	William Anderson	6 00
	Arthur Karrpella	7 00
	Benjamin Willard	76 25
	Henry W. Frost, 1616 bridge plank	30 00
	Clifford Gowing, labor on highway	40 25
	George A. Gowing, labor on highway	30 00
July 24.	Clifford Gowing	49 00
	W. W. Pickford	7 00
	Samuel Parala	7 00
	Francis A. Burpee	14 00
	Benjamin Willard	19 17
	John Rinta	15 75
	Chas. H. Pickford	8 00
	Frank Solomen	9 92
	Jack Lounia	9 92
	F. W. Jeffreys	8 75
	W. H. Jeffreys	8 75
	Wilear Mananita	15 17
	Sala Lana	15 17
	George F. Bemis	37 34
Nov. 15.	Benjamin Willard, 740 feet bridge plank	13 32
	" " appropriation in part	151 98
Dec. 18.	Frank C. Moore, grading at iron bridge	30 33
1910.		
Jan. 4.	C. F. Knight & Son, repairing bridge	50
	" " " 832 feet bridge plank	16 64

Feb. 14.	Frank C. Moore, grading at iron bridge near No. 3 school house		19 75
Feb. 15.	Benjamin Willard, appropriation in part		56 24
			$1343 65
	Unexpended appropriation		33 85
			$1377 50

ACCOUNT OF PERMANENT REPAIRS.

Balance from Dublin Electric Light Co., paid on account of highway near No. 3 schoolhouse	69 19	
Dec. 18, paid Frank C. Moore for abatements and grading for iron bridge	69 19	

ACCOUNT OF PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS, JOINT FUND.

Amount available from appropriation voted March 10, 1909	1,372 50	
Amount available from State	548 80	
Unexpended balance, Feb. 15, 1909	4 39	
		1,925 69
1910		
Sept. 1, Paid Benj. Willard, in part appropriation	800 00	
Nov. 13, Paid Benj. Willard, in part appropriation	1,071 18	
Paid State disbursements	48 67	
		1,919 85
Unexpended balance in Town treasury	4 17	
" " " State "	1 67	
		5 84
		1,925 69

NOTES HELD AGAINST THE TOWN.

Apr. 1, 1908	Payable to Frank C. Moore 4 per cent.	2,500 00
July 1, 1908	Payable to Frank C. Moore 4 per cent.	300 00
Jan. 29, 1910	Payable to Frank C. Moore 4 per cent.	1,387 51
Sept. 15, 1907	Payable to Fred C. Gowing agent of Appleton fund 4 per cent.	400 00

April 1, 1908	Payable to Jennie N. Gowing, 4 per cent.	800 00
Jan. 29, 1910	Payable to Jennie M. Gowing, 4 per cent.	1,200 00
April 1, 1908	Payable to Henry D. Learned, 4 per cent.	1,300 00
" "	Payable to Milton D. Mason, Agt. school fund, 4 per cent.	400 00
" "	Payable to Milton D. Mason, Agt. Gleason fund, 4 per cent.	413 00
" "	Payable to Fred C. Gowing, town agent, 4 per cent.	1,000 00
July 1, 1908	Payable to John E. Baldwin, trustee, 4 per cent.	2,000 00
Oct. 6, 1908	Payable to Asa Knowlton, 4 per cent.	1,900 00
Jan. 29, 1910	Payable to Asa Knowlton, 4 per cent.	700 00
Jan. 29, 1910	Payable to Fred C. Gowing, 4 per cent.	1,200 00
		15,500 51

Breaking Roads.

1909	Amount raised and appropriated		500 00
June 26	Paid Clifford Gowing	5 25	
Nov. 15	Benjamin Willard	1 70	
1910			
Feb. 11	Orison H. Moore	38 42	
	Fred W. Moore	8 00	
	Wallis M. Spalding	6 00	
	Almon A. Baldwin	70	
Feb. 14	Charles E. Townsend	23 85	
	W. W. Shay	70	
	Hiram A. Carey	28 80	
	Robert C. Woodward	3 00	
	Clifton S. Wilkins	6 00	
	Wilfred M. Fiske	24 00	
	H. P. Frost	41 05	
	Fred A. Adams	22 34	
	Frank C. Moore	37 87	
	C. F. Knight & Son	7 00	
	Clifford Gowing	11 02	
	Clarence G. Harrington	6 80	
	Leon A. Fairbanks	1 23	
	Henry E. Fiske	26 60	

Feb. 14	Augustus Beaulieu	23 95	
15	Benjamin Willard	4 25	
	Fred W. Moore	3 00	
	Orison H. Moore	9 00	
	Lawrence E. Welch	5 95	
	L. L. White	2 62	
			349 10
By overdrawn order on breaking roads			1 00
			348 10
Unexpended balance			151 90
			500 00

Paid on Notes and Interest on Notes.

Amount raised and appropriated to pay interest and principal on notes held agaist the town March 9, 1909		2700 00	
Transferred from last year's account		54 03	
			2754 03
1909			
	Amt. borrowed to cancel Benjamin Willard notes	4487 51	
July 26.	Pd. Peterboro Savings Bank. principal in full	975 00	
Sept. 30.	Henry D. Learned, principal	500 00	
1910			
Jan. 31.	New Hampshire Savings Band, principal, B. Willard note	537 49	
			2012 49
	New Hampshire Savings Bank, principal B. Willard notes in full	4487 51	
1909			
July 3.	Paid Peterboro Savings Bank, interest on note	27 49	
26.	Peterboro Savings Bank, interest on note	4 06	
Dec. 30.	Milton D. Mason, town agent, interest on note	16 52	
	M. D. Mason, town agent, interest on note	16 00	
31.	New Hampshire Savings Bank, interest on note	60 00	
	New Hampshire Savings Bank, interest on note	123 37	

1910			
Jan. 1.	Fred C. Gowing, town agent, interest on note	40 00	
	F. C. Gowing, town agent, interest on note	16 00	
	Jennie H. Gowing, int. on note	32 00	
	H. D. Learned, int. on note	67 00	
	Frank C. Moore	112 00	
	Asa Knowlton	76 00	
	John E. Baldwin, trustee, interest on note	80 00	
	New Hampshire Savings Bank, interest on note	17 07	
			687 51

Recapitulation of Principal and Interest Account:

Amount of appropriation	2700 00	
Unexpended balance	54 03	
Borrowed to cancel B. Willard notes	4487 51	
		7241 54
Paid principal	2012 49	
Notes cancelled	4487 51	
Interest paid on notes	687 51	
		7187 51
Unexpended balance Feb. 15, 1910		54 03
		7241 54

ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Amount raised and appropriated for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	2385 00	
Income Sprague School Fund	331 57	
Income Literary Fund	40 30	
Dog license, year 1907	179 18	
Dublin's proportion from State to Feb., '10	145 84	
		3081 89

1909			
Oct. 22.	Ella G. Mason, school district treasurer	500 00	
1910			
Jan. 5.	E. G. Mason, school dist treas.	300 00	
27.	" " " " "	500 00	
Feb. 9.	" " " " "	1450 32	
11.	" " " " "	331 57	
			3081 89

Mary A. Wales Cemetery Lot Fund.

Funds in hands of town treasurer	250 00
Deposited in Cheshire County Bank	250 00
Interest available for care of cemetery lot deposited in Cheshire Co. Savings Bank	8 13
Book No. 32,259 in Cheshire Provident Institution, on which one more dividend is expected	38 73

Horatio Greenwood Cemetery Lot Fund.

1910		
Feb. 15.	Funds in hands of town treasurer	50 00
	The same is invested in Peterborough Savings bank, Book No. 9702	
	Interest available for care of lot Feb. 15, 1910	14 26

Charles H. Heald Cemetery Lot Fund.

1910		
Feb. 15.	Fund in hands of town treasurer	150 00
	Deposited in Peterborough Savings bank	150 00
	Interest available for care of cemetery lot, deposited in Peterborough Savings bank	4 14

Paid Town Officers.

Amount raised and appropriated for 1909		$800 00
1910.		
Feb. 11.	Paid Robert C. Woodward, services as constable and agent to enforce the liquor law	$30 25
	Paid Burton Shay, services as policeman, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00
	Paid Milton D. Mason, services as town agent for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	15 00
	Paid Milton D. Mason, services as town treasurer for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	30 00
	Paid Milton D. Mason, services as town clerk for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	25 00
	Paid George A. Gowing, care 107 tramps to date	26 75
	Paid Clesson E. Gowing, services as member board of health for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00

Feb.	11.	Paid Orison H. Moore, services as police officer, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00
		Paid Charles P. Fisher, services as janitor town house, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	35 00
		Paid Almon A. Baldwin, services as overseer of the poor, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	6 00
	11.	Paid Almon A. Baldwin, services as police officer, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00
	14.	Paid Ella G. Mason, services as school district treasurer year ending Feb. 15, 1910	8 00
	14.	Paid George H. Preston, services as police officer, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00
	14.	Paid Fred A. Adams, services as selectman from Feb. 15 to Mar. 9, 1910	2 50
	14.	Paid Clifford Gowing, services and expense as member of the Board of Health, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	10 00
	14.	Paid Clifford Gowing, services as sexton and pound keeper, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	12 00
	14.	Fred C. Gowing, services as town agent, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	10 00
	14.	Fred C. Gowing, services as agent of Trustees of Appleton fund, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	2 00
	14.	Herman H. Priest, services and expense as police officer, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	10 00
	14.	Willard H. Pierce, services as member of board of health for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	5 00
	14.	Milton D. Mason, services as member of school board, from Feb. 15, to Mar. 9, 1910	8 00
	15.	H. A. Coolidge, services as member of school board, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	25 00
	15.	Archie R. Garfield, service as member of school board, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	35 25
	15.	Orison H. Moore, services as selectman, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	88 75

Feb.	15.	Almon A. Baldwin, services as selectman, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	113 81
	15.	Fred C. Gowing, services as member of school board, year ending Feb. 15, '10	26 00
	15.	Leon A. Fairbanks, services as selectman, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	89 75
	15.	Wilfred M. Fiske, service as collector of taxes, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	60 00
	15.	Clifford Gowing, services as auditor, year ending Feb. 15, 1910	7 00
	15.	Willard H. Pierce, service as auditor for year ending Feb. 15, 1910	7 00
			$713 06

Unexpended appropriation $86 94

1910. UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS.

Feb.	15.	Memorial Day	$ 11 73
		State tax	6 00
		Breaking roads	151 90
		Safety Vault account	23 91
		Iron Bridge account	2 00
		Steel Culvert account	8 85
		State Aid Joint Fund account	5 84
		Principal and Interest account	54 03
		Miscellaneous account	58 83
		Town Officers account	86 94
		Town History account	1000 00
		General Repairs on Highways account	33 85
			$1443 88

RECAPITULATION.

MILTON D. MASON, Treasurer, DR.

Feb. 15, 1909.		
Cash on hand at settlement	$1,576 35	
Received dog licenses	180 73	
Miscellaneous sources	1,251 75	
State aid, joint highway	498 46	
Pedlers' licenses	10 00	
Sale of town maps	5 75	
Town agents	331 57	
Collector of taxes 1908	38 40	
" " " 1909	16,438 21	
Money borrowed to cancel notes	4,487 51	
Charles H. Heald Fund	150 00	
		$24,968 73

MILTON D. MASON, Treasurer, CR.

Paid Abatement of taxes	$ 19 41	
Memorial committee	58 27	
County tax	2,200 09	
State tax	2,544 00	
Electric lights	1,300 00	
Miscellaneous purposes	837 34	
Support of schools	3,081 89	
Breaking roads	349 10	
Highway, joint fund	1,919 85	
Highway, general repairs	1,343 65	
Highways, permanent repairs	69 19	
Public library	200 00	
Town notes	2,012 49	
Interest on town notes	687 51	
Notes cancelled	4,487 51	
Safety fire-proof vault	326 09	
Stage scenery	125 00	
Dublin Volunteer Company	150 00	
Steel culvert	51 15	
Charles H. Heald Fund, deposited	150 00	
Care of cemetery	50 00	
Iron bridge	148 00	
Town officers	713 06	
		$22,823 60
Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1910		2,145 13
		$24,968 73

MILTON D. MASON, Treasurer.

Having examined the above account of Milton D. Mason, Treasurer, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING,
WILLARD H. PIERCE, } Auditors.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

For the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1910.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1909	$ 6 60	
Received from town treasurer	200 00	
Books sold	9 90	
		216 50

Disbursements.

New books	71 17	
Magazines	35 10	
Librarian's salary	75 00	
Sentinel Printing Co., for supplement to catalogue and labels	7 25	
Books bound	5 45	
Express	3 85	
Cash on hand Feb 15, 1910	18 68	
		216 50

Minnie E. Leffingwell, George W. Gleason, } Library Committee.

Having examined the account of the Library Committee we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

Clifford Gowing, Willard H. Pierce, } Auditors.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

Number of volumes loaned during the year ending Feb. 15, 1910		2140
Number of volumes added during the year		254
Whole number of volumes in the library		5307
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1909	$9 63	
Amount received in fines	5 99	
		15 62
Library supplies	7 91	
Dublin News	1 00	
Cash on hand	6 71	
		15 62

Minnie E. Leffingwell, Librarian.

Having examined the account of the Librarian we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING, } Auditors.
WILLARD H. PIERCE, }

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE DUBLIN PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING.

FARNHAM ENDOWMENT FUND.

Cheshire County Savings Bank of Keene, N. H., Book No. 3405	$1000 00	
Monadnock Savings Bank of East Jaffrey, N. H., Book No. 3586	1658 83	
Peterborough Savings Bank of Peterboro, N. H., Books Nos. 9622 and 9881	1083 75	
Massachusetts State Bond No. 1627	1941 17	
Seventeen Shares Fitchburg R. R., Pref. Stock	2316 25	
		$8,000 00

RECEIPTS.

1909.			
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	242 80	
Mar. 13.	Interest on Mass. State Bond	30 00	
Apr. 3.	" " Fitchburg R. R., Stock	21 25	
July 16.	" " Fitchburg R. R., Stock	21 85	
Sept. 2.	" " Mass. State Bonds	30 00	
Oct. 4.	" " Fitchburg R. R., Stock	21 25	
1910.			
Jan. 8.	" " Fitchburg R. R., Stock	21 25	
Jan. 24.	" " Monadnock Savings Bank Book No. 3586	58 52	
Jan. 24.	" " Peterbor'h Savings Bank Books Nos. 9622 and 9881	38 22	
Jan. 24.	" " Cheshire County Savings Bank Book No. 3405	35 29	
			519 83

DISBURSEMENTS.

1909.			
Sept. 3.	Charles P. Fisher for part of salary as janitor	25 00	
Oct. 1.	Dublin Stage Co. for coal	47 64	
1910.			
Feb. 3.	Geo. W. Gleason for supplies	3 02	
Feb. 4.	Charles P. Fisher for balance of salary as janitor	50 00	
Feb. 4.	Dublin Electric Co. for lights	19 17	
Feb. 4.	Arthur E. Gay, repairs on pump	1 40	
Feb. 14.	Balance	373 60	
			519 83

HENRY D. LEARNED,
JOHN H. MASON,
JOHN GLEASON,
Trustees of the Dublin Public Library Building.

Having examined the above report of the Trustees of the Dublin Public Library Building, we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING, } Auditors.
WILLARD H. PIERCE, }

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

AUDITORS OF TOWN AGENT'S REPORTS.

FEB. 15, 1910.

The funds in the hands of agents are classed as follows:
Appleton fund, Sprague School fund, Sprague fund, including Ministerial Land fund, and Gleason fund.

The Sprague fund was given for the sole purpose of supporting the Christian religion, and for the use of schools in the town of Dublin, N. H.

The Gleason fund for the benefit of the poor.

The Appleton fund for educational purposes.

The Appleton fund in the hands of Fred C. Gowing, agent of the Trustees, consists of:

One 5 per cent. note signed by S. Addie Esty of Keene, N. H., secured by mortgage and insurance	600 00	
Town of Dublin note	400 00	
		1000 00

INTEREST RECEIVED.

1909			
Feb. 15.	Interest on hand	461 76	
Aug. 16.	" on Esty note	15 00	
1910			
Jan. 1.	" on town note	16 00	
	" on Peterborough Savings bank book No. 7060	16 39	
			509 15
Feb. 15.	Interest on hand on deposit		509 15

Sprague fund, including Ministerial fund, in the hands of Fred C. Gowing, agent:

Note dated April 17, 1901, signed by Lillie Y. and F. A. Rider, secured by mortgage and insurance	1400 00	
Chilver property, in care of Carroll & Peers	350 00	
Cheshire Provident Savings bank, book No. 25,388	351 80	
Cheshire County Savings bank, book No. 1,129	245 99	
Peterborough Savings bank, book No. 10,175	3300 00	
Town note	1000 00	
		6647 79

INTEREST RECEIVED.

1909			
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	34 50	
May 11.	Interest on Rider note	42 00	
Nov. 6.	" " "	42 00	
22.	Int. on Cheshire County Savings Bank book No. 1129	8 65	
1910			
Jan. 1.	Interest on town note	40 00	
10.	Interest on Peterborough Savings bank book No. 10,175	116 48	
21.	Cash from Chilver property	18 70	
			302 33

INTEREST PAID OUT.

1909		
May 17.	Paid Rev. J. L. Seward	30 00
Aug. 13.	" " " "	30 00
Nov. 27.	" " " "	30 00
1910		
Feb. 9.	" " " "	79 12

Feb. 9.	J. H. Mason, Treas. First Cong'l society	21 51	
	Burton Shay, Treas. Trinitarian Cong'l society	4 30	
	M. D. Mason, agt. of selectmen	88 57	
15.	Cash on hand	18 83	
			302 33

The Gleason fund in the hands of M. D. Mason, agent.

Note dated July 1, 1908, signed by Everard C. Willard, secured by mortgage and insurance	2000 00	
Town note, dated April 1, 1908	413 00	
Monadnock Savings bank book, No. 713	87 00	
		2500 00

INTEREST RECEIVED.

1909			
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	169 15	
July 2.	Interest on E. C. Willard note	50 00	
Dec. 30.	" on town note	16 52	
1910			
Jan. 11.	" on E. C. Willard note	50 00	
28.	" on Monadnock Savings Bank book No. 713	3 06	
	Interest on Monadnock Savings bank book No. 2418	2 76	
	Interest on Monadnock Savings bank book	2 64	
			294 13

INTEREST PAID OUT.

Paid on orders of selectmen	69 03	
Cash on hand and deposit, Feb. 15, 1910	225 10	
		294 13

Sprague School fund in the hands of Milton D. Mason, agent.

Note dated Dec. 8, 1895, signed by Cornelius K. Towne, secured by mortgage	250 00
Note dated July 5, 1905, signed by Mary M. Robbe, secured by mortgage and insurance	150 00
Note dated Jan. 30, 1902, signed by John Kelliher, secured by mortgage and insurance	2600 00
Unites States bond No. 307	50 00
Peterboro Savings Bank book No. 8679	1575 65

Monadnock Savings Bank book No. 991	430 01	
Note dated Aug. 12, 1907, signed by T. W. Sanders, secured by mortgage and insurance	2000 00	
Town note dated April 1, 1908	400 00	
Note dated Aug. 26, 1909, signed by Ransom W. Reid, secured by mortgage	2000 00	
		9455 66

INTEREST RECEIVED.

1909			
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	207 61	
Sept. 2.	Rent on Dowling property	6 00	
Oct. 4.	Interest on C. K. Towne note	15 00	
	" " Towne note	75	
Nov. 20.	" on Mary M. Robbe note	9 00	
Dec. 30.	" on town note	16 00	
1910			
Jan. 26.	Interest on Reid note	60 00	
Feb. 9.	" on U. S. bond	2 00	
	" J. Kelliher note	133 20	
	" on Peterboro Savings bank book No. 8679	30 29	
10.	Interest on T. W. Sanders note	100 00	
	" on Monadnock Savings bank book No. 991	15 17	
			595 02

INTEREST PAID OUT.

1909.			
Sept. 2.	Negotiating Dowling property	189 40	
1910.			
Jan. 26.	Carroll & Peers, care of funds	5 00	
" 26.	" " collection	1 25	
Feb. 9.	C. A. Perkins, "	3 20	
" 9.	Agent of Selectmen	243 00	
Feb. 15.	Cash on hand	153 17	
			595 02

RECAPITULATION.

Funds in hands of agents:		
Appleton fund	1000 00	
Gleason fund	2500 00	
Sprague fund	9455 66	
Sprague fund, Ministerial Land fund	6647 79	
		19603 45

Having examined the accounts of the Town Agents, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CLIFFORD GOWING,
WILLARD H. PIERCE, } Auditors.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1910.

April		
A. Karpla	7 00	
M. Parker	12 00	
W. Anderson	6 00	
P. Ryan	3 50	
J. Luoma	7 88	
S. Perala	10 50	
R. Blair	13 00	
J. Williams	10 50	
F. Soloman	7 88	
J. Rinta	3 50	
A. Beaulieu	30 00	
G. Hansom	7 00	
J. Greene	7 00	
H. Oya	5 25	
D. Johnson	10 50	
Clifford Gowing	40 25	
C. Pickford	17 00	
B. Willard	30 00	
C. Gowing	30 00	
H. Wright	28 00	
		286 76
May		
C. Pickford	26 00	
J. Luoma	33 25	
S. Perala	28 00	
W. Mannala	33 25	
S. Lana	15 75	
F. Soloman	35 00	
H. Wright	24 00	
A. Beaulieu	18 00	
R. Blair	24 00	
J. Johnson	35 00	

B. Willard	46 25	
F. Sundstrom	12 00	
G. F. Bemis	147 20	
		477 70
June		
G. F. Bemis	37 34	
J. Luoma	9 92	
F. Soloman	9 92	
W. Mannala	15 17	
S. Lana	15 17	
W. H. Jeffrey	8 75	
F. W. Jeffrey	8 75	
J. Rinta	15 75	
C. H. Pickford	8 00	
B. Willard	19 17	
F. Burpee	14 00	
S. Perala	7 00	
W. N. Pickford	7 00	
C. Gowing	49 00	
Luke Richardson	8 40	
		233 34
July		
J. Puska	4 65	
H. Strong	4 65	
J. Maki	4 65	
J. Hill	4 65	
B. Willard	6 73	
J. Coolidge	2 00	
G. F. Bemis	20 25	
		47 58
August		
C. Pickford	4 00	
		4 00
September		
F. Sundstrom	16 00	
S. Perala	17 50	
J. Williams	7 00	
B. Willard	1 25	
C. Pickford	1 00	
H. E. Fiske	10 65	
Catch basin	2 00	
E. M. Hannaford	3 50	
F. T. Wiswall	2 50	
B. Willard for bridge plank	13 32	
D. J. Hart " "	27 09	
H. Frost " "	30 00	
C. F. Knight " "	16 64	
		148 45

November		
C. E. Gowing	5 50	
J. Puska	4 37	
W. Anderson	2 62	
W. M. Pickford	2 75	
J. Rinta	8 75	
B. Willard	6 25	
Clifford Gowing	30 50	
		60 74
December		
J. Puska	15 75	
W. Anderson	15 75	
F. C. Moore	30 33	
		61 83
1910.		
Feb. 14. F. C. Moore	19 75	
F. C. Moore	3 00	
C. F. Knight & Son	50	
		23 25
Total amount of appropriation	1377 50	
" unexpended	33 85	
	1343 65	1343 65
Mountain Brook Road appropriation		60 00
Culvert	41 40	
Teaming culvert	2 00	
Clifford Gowing	4 00	
J. Puska	2 00	
J. Johnson	1 75	
		51 15
Unexpended		8 85

Inventory of tools and machinery belonging to the town, Feb. 15, 1910.

5 snow rollers, 3 road machines, 1 iron rake, 1 hammer wrench, 1 hoe, 1 6-tine fork.

Scale of wages paid for teams and labor on the highways for year ending Feb. 15, 1910.

Teams, $4.00 per day. Men laborers, $1.75 per day. 5 men, $2.00 per day.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN WILLARD,
Highway Agent.

TOWN HOUSE.

REPORT OF CHAS. P. FISHER, for year ending Feb. 15, 1910.

1909.	Town of Dublin to Chas. P. Fisher, DR.		
May 7.	To pail	$ 35	
	two tumblers	20	
	dustpan	25	
	broom	35	
24.	tuning piano	2 50	
	piano stool	1 00	
	six feet of wood	5 00	
June 15.	fixing clock	75	
July 1.	floor wax	1 50	
Dec. 24.	six burners	90	
	six chimneys	60	
	four gallons kerosene oil	48	
	3470 pounds coal	14 75	
	laying tile and grading	2 00	
1910.			
Feb. 11.	cash paid Selectmen	71 37	
			$102 00

1909.	RECEIPTS.		
May 7.	dance	$3 00	
21.	dance	4 00	
26.	show	3 00	
June 4.	dance	4 00	
11.	"	4 00	
18.	"	4 00	
25.	"	5 00	
July 2.	"	5 00	
9.	"	4 00	
30.	"	4 00	
Aug. 6.	"	4 00	
Aug. 13.	"	5 00	
17.	"	5 00	
19.	Congregational Society	3 00	
20.	dance	5 00	
Sept. 8.	"	4 00	
14.	"	5 00	
Nov. 11.	Congregational Society	3 00	
Dec. 9.	" "	3 00	
1910.			
Feb. 8.	Bailey's office rent	25 00	
			$102 00

Having examined the above account of Charles P. Fisher, janitor of the Town House, we find it correctly cast with proper vouchers.

CLIFFORD GOWING,
WILLARD H. PIERCE, } Auditors.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

Report for the year ending February 15, 1910.

Appropriation for year 1909	2385 00	
Income Sprague School fund	331 57	
Literary fund	40 30	
Unexpended dog license, 1908	179 18	
Dublin's proportion from State	145 84	
		3081 89

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1909	1532 07	
Agent of selectmen	3081 89	
		4613 96

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid teachers 1st term:

Cora I. McKellips, 4 weeks, No. 1	64 00	
" " 4 " "	64 00	
" " 4 " "	64 00	
" " 1 " "	16 00	
" " 4 " "	66 67	
" " 4 " "	66 67	
" " 4 " "	66 66	
" " 4 " "	66 67	
" " 4 " "	66 67	
" " 3 " "	50 00	
		591 34
Emma E. Shoults, 4 weeks, No. 2	48 00	
" " 4 " "	48 00	
" " 4 " "	48 00	
" " 1 " "	12 00	
" " 4 " "	50 00	
" " 4 " "	50 00	
" " 4 " "	50 00	
" " 4 " "	50 00	
" " 4 " "	50 00	
" " 1 " "	12 50	
		418 50

Grace M. Barker, 4 weeks, No. 4	44 00	
" " 4 " "	44 00	
" " 4 " "	44 00	
" " 1 " "	11 00	
Gertrude E. Watson, 4 weeks, No. 3	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 3 " "	30 00	
		373 00
Lura W. Holt, 4 weeks, No. 5	42 00	
" " 4 " "	42 00	
" " 4 " "	42 00	
" " 1 " "	10 50	
Alice M. Philbrick, 4 weeks, No. 5	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 4 " "	40 00	
" " 3 " "	30 00	
		366 50
		1749 34
Sadie M. Reed, teaching music and drawing, 12 weeks	96 00	
Emeline O. Mendum, 22 weeks, one day each week	88 00	
		184 00
Paid janitors:		
Charlie Clukay, No. 1	15 00	
Emma E. Shoults, No. 2	15 00	
Grace M. Barker, No. 4	5 00	
Howard Burton, No. 3	10 00	
Lura W. Holt, No. 5	5 00	
Alice M. Philbrick, No. 5	10 00	
		60 00

PAID FOR TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Kenney Bros. & Walkins, school furniture and supplies	$28 48
Edward E. Babb & Co., books and supplies	62 11
Houghton Mifflin, books	56
Edward E. Babb & Co., books and supplies	64 30
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover, books	4 08

Ginn & Co., books	7 68	
Milton Bradley, school supplies	9 49	
Homer and Livermore, school supplies	60	
Ginn & Co., books	1 15	
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies	18 67	
Fred C. Gowing, labor and supplies	9 15	
H. A. Coolidge " " "	4 80	
" " cash paid for supplies	10 32	
		$221 39
Paid Supervisory District Treasurer Milton D. Mason, Treas. in part Supt. salary	62 50	
H. A. Coolidge, Treas. salary in full, 1908 school year	41 68	
H. A. Coolidge, salary superintendent in part	30 00	
" " " " "	28 34	
" " " " "	29 17	
" " " " "	29 17	
" " " " "	29 17	
" " " " 6th payment	29 17	
		$279 20

PAID FOR MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Mary A. Clukay, transporting pupils from No. 3 to No. 2, spring term 63 days, at $1.25	$78 75
Mrs. A. R. Garfield, transporting music and drawing teacher, twelve weeks, spring term	48 00
Bessie M. Kemp, cleaning at No. 1	1 00
Edwin G. Kemp, cleaning closet at No. 1	1 00
R. E. Lane, enumeration cards, order book and postage	1 39
Mrs. Loren Adams, cleaning at No. 1	2 00
John D. Grimes, four cords wood No. 1	20 00
Mrs. Frank Clukay, sweeping No. 1 school room, fall term 1909	3 00
Gowing's Stable, conveying teacher to Institute at Rindge	5 00
Mrs. A. R. Garfield, conveying drawing and music teacher, ten weeks, one day per week, ending Nov. 20, 1909	20 00
Fred A. Adams, one-half cord dry wood No. 2	2 25
Ada Robbe, cleaning at Nos. 2 and 3	3 70

Mrs. A. R. Garfield, conveying music and drawing teacher twelve weeks to Feb. 19, 1910, one day a week	24 00	
A. R. Garfield, cash paid for express, telephone, furniture and labor	10 59	
F. C. Gowing, 4 1-8 cords wood for No. 2, fitted and put in cellar	20 62	
H. H. Pratt, printing envelopes, and telegrams	2 01	
Robert A. Walker, conveying scholars from No. 4 to No. 3, fall and winter terms, 91 days at 67½c. per day	61 43	
Hattie P. Frost, 3 cords wood, No. 5	15 00	
Sam'l Pellerin, conveying pupils from No. 4 to No. 1, 99 days, fall and winter terms, at 67½c. per day	66 83	
Harrisville school district, T. J. Winn, treasurer, tuition 3 pupils to Chesham school, 34 weeks at 75c per week	25 50	
Mrs. Frank Clukay, sweeping at No. 1	3 00	
		415 07

RECAPITULATION.

Balance in treasury Feb. 15, 1909	1532 07	
Agent of selectmen, appropriation	2385 00	
" " income school fund	331 57	
" " dog tax 1908	179 18	
" " cash by state	145 84	
" " income literary fund	40 30	
		4613 96
Paid teachers	1749 34	
Music and drawing teacher	184 00	
Janitors	60 00	
Text books and supplies	221 39	
Supervisory district treasurer	279 20	
Transporting pupils	207 01	
" music and drawing teacher	92 00	
Wood	37 87	
Other miscellaneous purposes	78 19	
		2909 00
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1910		1704 96
		4613 96

ELLA G. MASON, Treasurer.

Having axamined the foregoing account we find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

HENRY D. ALLISON,
CLESSON E. GOWING,
Auditors.

Dublin, N. H., Feb. 15, 1910.

SCHOOL REPORT.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE TOWN OF DUBLIN.

We hereby submit the eighty-eighth report of our schools.

The Town raised and appropriated $2385.00 as required by law. The income of the Sprague School Fund amounted to $331.57, Literary Fund was $40.30, Unexpended Dog License for the year 1908 was $179.18, and amount received from the State toward the Superintendent's salary was $145.84. There remained unexpended in the treasury from last year $1532.07; making a total of $4613.96 in hand for school purposes the past year. Of this amount we have used $2909.00, leaving a balance of $1704.96.

All the scholars in town have had the privilege of thirty-six weeks of school during the past year.

During the spring term the pupils of No. 3 were conveyed to No. 2. During the fall and winter terms, the pupils of No. 4 were conveyed to Nos. 1 and 3. Owing to sickness in No. 2, the winter term was shortened by two weeks; the children able to attend being so situated as to join No. 3 school for the remaining weeks.

It has become necessary during the year to find three new teachers. Miss Watson, a graduate of Fitchburg Normal School, was hired for No. 3. Miss Philbrick a graduate of Northfield Seminary, having had a year's experience teaching in Maine, being commended by her Superintendent, we engaged to teach in No. 5. Miss Mendum, a graduate of the Massachusetts Art Normal School, was engaged to teach music and drawing. For the sake of giving more time to the regular work of the schools, it was thought best to have music and drawing taught but one day in the week.

The work of the year has been progressive and harmonious. The faithful work of the teachers has been gratifying. The work of Superintendent Pratt has been real and approved. The interest of the children has been above the average; and

the co-operation of the parents, when given, has been appreciated.

We have noted an increased interest and marked profit resulting from the supply of supplementary reading wisely used.

The neat and attractive appearance of the school rooms has been gratifying,

Educational methods are progressing, but the purpose of assisting children to become intelligent, happy, successful citizens of this free land has not changed. We have sought to keep this ideal in view in selecting both method and means.

According to the law as changed in 1909, we submit the following estimate of the amount of "money which will be required during the ensuing fiscal year for the purchase of text books, scholars' supplies, flags and appurtenances, and for the payment of the tuition of the scholars of the district in high schools and academies in accordance with chapter 96 of the Laws of 1901, and for the payment of all other statutory obligations of the district."

Other moneys being available it will be necessary to raise under this section only enough money to pay high school tuitions, which we estimate at $200.00.

FRED C. GOWING,
ARCHIE R. GARFIELD,
HENRY A. COOLIDGE,
} School Board of Dublin.

ROLL OF HONOR.

For the year: Delores Fisher, Ruth Fisher.

For two terms: Clarence Fiske, Beatrice Patrick.

For one term: Hildreth Allison, Ella Armstrong, Charley Clukay, Mary L. Eastman, Almerin Gowing, John E. McLaughlin.

	Number of Schools	Names of Teachers	Wages per week	Weeks of school	Number of scholars	Number of boys	Number of girls	Average daily attendance	Average daily absence	Average membership	Per cent. of attendance	Number cases of tardiness	Number pupils under 5 years	Number pupils over 16 years	Number pupils between 5 and 16	Visits of school board	Visits of superintendent	Visits of parents	School began	School closed
Spring Term	1	Cora I McKellips	$16 00	13	20	9	11	15.32	1.76	17.08	89.69	4	0	0	20	3	10	36	Mar 29	June 25
	2	Emma E Shoults	12 00	13	14	8	6	11.26	2.24	13.51	83.38	4	0	0	14	5	12	33	Mar 29	" 25
	4	Grace M Barker	11 00	13	6	1	5	4.84	.37	5.22	92.75	23	0	0	6	2	8	29	April 5	July 1
	5	Lura W Holt	10 50	13	12	5	7	9.59	1.95	11.55	83.35	4	0	0	12	4	10	21	Mar 29	June 25
Fall Term	1	Cora I McKellips	16 67	12	24	10	14	17.47	1.21	18.68	93.25	28	0	0	24	4	9	14	Aug 30	Nov 19
	2	Emma E Shoults	12 50	12	12	5	7	7.71	1.75	9.47	81.44	29	0	0	12	3	10	20	" 30	" 19
	3	G Eileen Watson	10 00	12	11	7	4	10.09	.94	11.03	91.64	73	1	0	11	3	9	20	" 30	" 19
	5	Alice M Philbrick	10 00	12	15	6	9	11.76	2.12	13.88	84.65	36	0	0	15	2	9	6	" 30	" 19
Winter Term	1	Cora I McKellips	16 67	11	20	10	10	17.63	1.00	18.63	94.65	17	0	0	20	3	10	16	Nov 29	Feb 18
	2	Emma E Shoults	12 50	11	6	4	2	3.98	1.58	5.56	71.65	3	0	0	6	3	6	8	" 29	Jan 28
	3	G Eileen Watson	10 00	11	13	9	4	8.29	2.70	10.99	69.96	88	1	0	12	3	9	8	" 29	Feb 18
	5	Alice M Philbrick	10 00	11	15	6	9	11.68	3.30	14.98	77.97	53	0	0	15	4	5	8	" 29	" 11

The Board of Eucation,
Dublin, N. H.

Gentlemen:

It is a pleasure to hand you herewith the ninth annual report of the superintendent of schools of your town for the reason that it is a record of a year of progress, cordiality and results. Good schools are the result of slow growth or evolution and not of hasty changes from time to time. With this principle in mind your superintendent has worked.

A second principle which has governed his work is this definition of a good education: one that considers the natural tastes and abilities of the child and trains him to be whatever he should naturally become so much the better because of his education. Such education teaches the boy who has the natural taste for a farmer to become a more scientific one (for the time of the unscientific farmer has forever gone); and trains the born mechanic into a better one. Education is not good which leads a child, either by its implications or direct influence, to misdirect or misapply his natural abilities,—to make the one who would become a first-class mechanic into a poor lawyer, or one who should be a skillful dressmaker or breadmaker into a third-rate teacher. The time has come for schools to serve the needs of the community in which they are rather than the whims of a so-called culture of other places and other times. With this principle as a matter of his firm conviction the superintendent has laid plans for the future and executed things in the present. It may be of interest to indicate the course which study in the schools would follow under this plan of making them practical rather than ornamental.

1. Reading. This is taught as quickly as possible when the child enters school,—in any way which shall prove the quickest and most effective,—to enable him to read rapidly and understandingly so that he may proceed directly to his other studies by the use of this one.

2. Arithmetic. This should be severely practical and taught with a direct view to its use. The pupil will not need to bother with such abstruse subjects as bank discounts, partial payments, (which depend on the laws of the several states and need to be relearned later at any rate), cube root (of no practical use), and will devote his energies to an effective mastery of common fractions, percentage, and particularly to the subject of measurements and calculations from them, making of bills and keeping of simple accounts, interest, and square root.

3. Geography as the understanding of commerce and manufacture, forestry and agriculture, climate and production, and the varied pursuits of man wherever man is found.

4. History as the study of the beautiful record of cause and result, a most effective means of training the logical and reasoning faculties; as a means of understanding how the governments of the world became as they are and why social conditions are as they are.

5. How to express one's self clearly and exactly in the English language.

6. How to write legibly, rapidly, easily.

7. The study of elementary science: nature study (for training observation and thought), elements of agriculture, manual training, drawing, (including practical mechanical work such as a mechanic would find helpful), and elementary physics.

This indicates briefly the lines along which your superintendent has been working.

A by no means unimportant part of our school work has been the making of our schools an attractive place for children, by means of interior decoration. This has consisted in posting the work of the pupils in drawing and writing, exhibiting pictures of instructive and beautiful character; in making collections to illustrate nature study, geography, and history; and in blackboard sketching. Our rooms have been decorated also with quotations from the world's best writings. Such a school makes better men and women. It provides by its constant and pervasive influence for a richer mind. It has the same effect, or more, upon a child that comfortable and beautiful surroundings in the home have upon a grown man. Too much trouble cannot be taken for the comfort, health, and refinement of our children.

The books of the year have been bought with the above mentioned principles in mind. We have a wide variety in reading, historical, geographical, in natural history and literature. We are buying books so that each school may have a small circulating library of its own, as a supplement to that of the town. The whole aim of the book buying has been to make available for the schools the most instructive, the most wholesome, and freshest writings of today. Among their number our books include science as well as literature.

The superintendent has begun a series of parents' meetings intending to hold them once each month that the schools are in session. Only one of these has so far been held but it was productive of considerable satisfaction to the superintendent and it is hoped to those who attended. These will be opened again at the opening of the spring term. It is the in-

tention at these meetings to have problems of interest to parents discussed, freely and without restraint; to discuss the means for securing better physical health for our school children; and ways in which the home can directly aid the school in matters of better education. The superintendent wishes to express his thanks to the many people who have so heartily coöperated with him during the past year in Dublin.

Much time has been spent in careful work with the teachers themselves, helping them to more efficient methods of teaching, to plan their work more effectively, and in every way that seemed to suggest itself. Our schools are under good teaching and that teaching is growing more direct and to the point month by month. It is but right to express to our teachers our sincere appreciation of their cordiality and helpfulness, for without these things no school system can be a success. No friction has arisen during the year and to that fact can be attributed a portion of the results in the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

H. H. PRATT.

February 22, 1910.

VITAL STATISTICS

1909

Births Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1909.

Date		Name of Child	Sex	Living or S B	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1909											
Jan	30	Hilda Ingeborg	F	L	3	Herman Svenson	Ellen M. Jonson	Dublin	Gardener	Sweden	Sweden
Mar	6	Thelma Matilda	F	L	5	Herman Ojh	Mary M. Houganiery	"	Laborer	Finland	Finland
	17	Eleanor	F	L	2	John Arthur Gleason	Ellen A. Appleton	"	Postmaster	Dublin	Dublin
	15	Helen Jennie	F	L	4	Luke H. Richardson	Jennie Rose	"	Farmer	"	Marlboro
Apr	20	Eldora Jane	F	L	3	Loren W. Adams	I. May Chapin	"	Mail carrier	Peterboro	New York
June	13	Eva Anna	F	L	9	Samuel S. Pellerin	Rebecca Gonyou	"	Farmer	Canada	Canada
	16	John Osborne jr	m	L	3	John Osborne Sumner	Mary Hutchinson	Boston, Mass.	Teacher	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
July	17	Joseph May	m	L	3	Ed. Channing Stowell	Sarah Russell May	Dublin	Physician	New York City	Dorchester, Mass.
Aug	18	Francis Merrill	m	L	1	Arthur T. Appleton	Alice Ethel Fox	"	Mgr. Elec. Wks.	Dublin	Bradford, Pa.
Sept	19	Clarence Owen	m	L	5	Clifton E. Richardson	Eunice L. Adams	"	Farmer	"	Dublin
Oct	21	Mary Isabell	F	L	4	Thomas S. Lynch	Mary Agnes Deasy	"	Farm Supt.	Kingston, N. Y.	Castletown, Ire.
Dec	15	James Andrew	m	L	1	George G. Milne	Agnes Boland	"	Farmer	Scotland	Ireland

Marriages Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1909.

Place and Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Occupation	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name and Residence of Person by whom Married
March 11	Ulysses Grant Albee	Dublin	43	Steam Fitter	E.Charlestown, Vt.	George Albee Julia Bennett	Stanstead, Me. Stratton, Vt.	Rev. H. A. Coolidge
Dublin	Marion E. Hammond	"	42	Housekeeper	Lunenburg, Mass	William Farmer Martha J. Putnam	Townsend, Mass. Mason	Dublin
Sept. 11	Wm. Robert Pearmain	"	21	Artist	Chelsea, Mass.	Sumner B. Pearmain Alice W. Upton	Chelsea, Mass. Jaffrey	Rev. J. M. Lamont
Dublin	Nancy Douglas Brush	"	19	Artist	Paris, France	Geo. DeForest Brush Mittie T. Whelpley	Shelbeville, Tenn. Boston, Mass.	Dublin
Oct. 8	Harvey C. Hayes	Cambridge Ms.	31	Teacher	N. Colesville, N.Y.	William H. Hayes Edith M. Reynolds	Onenta, N. Y. Onenta, N. Y.	Rev. H. A. Coolidge
Dublin	Marjorie D. Wood	Dublin	21	At home		Horace G. Wood Myra L. Wood	Dublin	Dublin
Oct. 20	Charles Cooper	Brookline, Ms.	50	Gardener	England	James Cooper Sarah Hammond	Brookline, Mass. " "	Rev. James McGill
Harrisville	Katherine McArthur	Dublin	46	House	Nova Scotia	John McArthur Annie McArthur	Nova Scotia " "	Harrisville
Nov. 20	Walter B. Bailey	"	36	Builder	Quincy, Mass.	George B. Bailey Elizabeth M. Harris	Quincy, Mass. "	Rev. G. H. Credeford
Milton, Mass.	Grace E. Davidson	Milton, Mass.	28	Saleswoman	Milton, Mass.	Joseph Davidson Isabella Mitchell	Scotland "	Milton, Mass.
Dec. 27	Henry N. Gowing	Dublin	23	Farmer	Dublin	Fred C. Gowing Jennie Newton	Dublin Marlboro	Rev. J. L. Seward, D. D.
Dublin	Belle L. Fairbanks	"	26	At home	Keene	Joseph L. Fairbanks Louise F. Caswell	St. Johnsbury, Vt. Joliet, Ills.	Keene

Deaths Registered in the Town of Dublin, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1909.

Date 1909	Name	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Sex	S M or Wid	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
									Father	Mother		
Sept 8	Charles W. Gowing	89	8	18	Dublin	m	w	Farmer	Dublin	Dublin	Joseph Gowing	Hepsebah Fairbanks
Dec 8	Chas. W. Leffingwell	57	3	11	Chillicothe, O.	m	m	Contractor			Chas. H. Leffingwell	Catherine Dixon

Persons Who Died In Other Towns and Brought to Dublin for Burial.

May 14	Charles W. Fiske	75	11		Dublin	m	m	Gardener			Daniel Fiske	Esther Eaton
Oct 5	Flavel W. Rowe	24	7	29	Harrisville	m	m	Teamster			Walter B. F. Rowe	Harriet E. Yardley

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Births, Marriages and Deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON D. MASON, Town Clerk.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Dublin, Qualified to Vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the eighth day or March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1st. To choose all necessary Town Officers, Agents, Auditors and Committees for the ensuing year.

2d. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Officers and Committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

3d. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Public Library, for the maintenance of the poor, for the building and repairing highways and bridges, for electric lights, for observing Memorial Day, and for other necessary charges arising within the town.

4th. To see what amount of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay interest and part of principal of town debt, or pass any vote relating thereto.

5th. To see if the town will vote to purchase one or more iron bridges the coming year and raise and appropriate money for the same, or pass any vote relating thereto.

6th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to apply for State aid for highways for the ensuing year, or pass any vote relating thereto.

7th. To see if the town will vote to accept a cemetery lot fund in trust, or pass any vote relating thereto.

8th. To see if the town will vote to have the original charter of the town, and other old records suitably preserved, or pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

ALMON A. BALDWIN,
LEON A. FAIRBANKS,
ORISON H. MOORE,
} Selectmen of Dublin.

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

ALMON A. BALDWIN,
LEON A. FAIRBANKS,
ORISON H. MOORE,
} Selectmen of Dublin.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Dublin Qualified to Vote in District Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District, on Tuesday, the eighth day of March, 1910, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1st. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

2d. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

5d. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

4th. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

5th. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

6th. To raise and appropriate such sums of money, in addition to the amount required by law, as will be needed to pay all necessary expenses of the District.

7th. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subjects embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands and seal at Dublin, this nineteenth day of February, 1910.

FRED C. GOWING,
ARCHIE R. GARFIELD,
HENRY A. COOLIDGE,
} School Board of Dublin.

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